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This application contains sequence disclosures that are encompassed by the definitions for nucleotide and/or amino acid sequences set forth in 37 C.F.R. 4 1.821(a)(1) and (a)(2). However, this application fails to comply with the requiremeets of 37 C.F.R. 4 1.821-1.825 for the reason(s) set forth: For example, claim 4 and page 8 of the specification contain amino acid sequences and/or nucleic acid sequences lacking proper sequence identifiers for the recited sequences. Applicant must comply with tile requirements of the sequence rules (37 CFR 1.821 - 1.825) before the application can be examined under 35 U.S.C. §4 131 and 132.

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